

# REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

## MAIL STOP RCE

Commissioner for Patents  
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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,  
provides for continued examination of an utility or  
plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	10/694,172
Confirmation Number	2754
Filing Date	October 28, 2003
First Named Inventor	Kazuyoshi UENO et al
Group Art Unit	1792
Examiner Name	Tsoy, Elena
Matter Number	Q78176
Title	ULSI WIRING AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

### 1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
- v. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### 2. MISCELLANEOUS

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a  
period of \_\_\_\_\_ months
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. FEES

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the RCE statutory fee of \$810.00 to Deposit Account  
No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is also directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except  
for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said  
Deposit Account.

### CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

Direct all correspondence to the address for SUGHRUE MION, PLLC filed under the Customer Number listed below:


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### SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY

Name Ryan C. Cady Registration No. 56,762

Signature  Date September 26, 2008